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| Applicant(s): Masahiro Matsuo, et al.  |   |   |                                   |                               |               |
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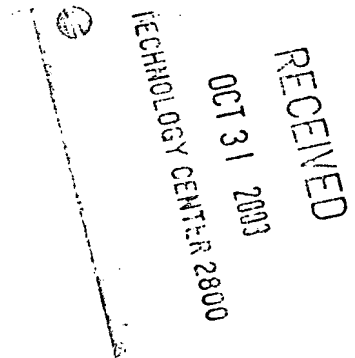
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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:



In response to the Office Action dated August 5, 2003 (Paper No. 7), please  
amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on  
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